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In re Patent Application of : JOSEPH D. WERT
U.S. Serial No. : 10/037,180
Filing Date : October 23, 2001
Title : POWER-UP DETECTION CIRCUIT WITH LOW
CURRENT DRAW FOR DUAL POWER SUPPLY
CIRCUITS
Examiner : T. T. Lam
Group Art Unit : 2816
Confirmation No. : 6362

MAIL STOP ISSUE FEE
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION TO WITHDRAW HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT

In response to the Notice of Abandonment mailed April 26, 2004, Applicant submits this Petition.

A Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee Due was mailed on December 8, 2003. Applicant subsequently mailed the Part B Issue Fee Transmittal, Fee Transmittal, Transmittal Letter, Certificate of Mailing by First Class Mail and postcard forwarding same on March 8, 2004. A check in the amount of \$1,360.00 was also included. The Certificate of Mailing was signed by Laura Zavala and the undersigned attorney of record William A. Munck. A copy of the documents as filed are attached hereto.

Also attached hereto is an executed Statement of Laura Zavala explaining the steps taken to timely pay the issue fee in the above-identified matter.

Applicant respectfully requests that the holding of abandonment be withdrawn and the application be allowed to pass to issuance.

While no fee is believed to be due for the filing of this Petition, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment of fees due by virtue of this Petition to Deposit Account No. 50-0208.

If the Examiner requires any further assistance in this matter, the Applicant respectfully invites the Examiner to contact the undersigned at the telephone number indicated below or at wmunck@davismunck.com.

Respectfully submitted,

DAVIS MUNCK, P.C.

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STATEMENT OF LAURA ZAVALA

I, Laura Zavala, make the following Statement in support of the Petition to Withdraw Holding of Abandonment.

In response to the Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee(s) Due dated December 8, 2003, I prepared the Part B Issue Fee Transmittal, Fee Transmittal for FY 2004, Transmittal Letter and Certificate of Mailing by First Class Mail for execution by the attorney of record, William A. Munck, for submission to the United States Patent and Trademark Office. Copies of the executed paperwork are attached to the Petition to Withdraw Holding of Abandonment filed concurrently herewith.

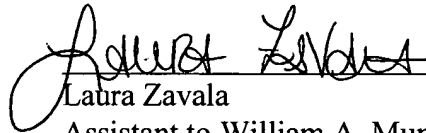
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On March 8, 2004, I executed the Certificate of Mailing, made the photocopies, placed postage on the envelope addressed to Mail Stop Issue Fee, Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, and hand-delivered the package to the United States Post Office on that date.

Respectfully submitted,

DAVIS MUNCK, P.C.

Date: May 18, 2004



Laura Zavala
Assistant to William A. Munck, Esq.

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